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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 8, 2007, regarding Applicants' reply of August 6, 2007, with respect to the Official action of July 11, 2007, for which a response is due by October 11, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Any additional fees associated with this Response may be charged to Merck Deposit Account No. 13-2755.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this response. Remarks begin on page 12 of this response.